

ORDINANCE NO. 93- 02

AN INTERIM ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING RATES AND CHARGES FOR THE USE OF AND SERVICES RENDERED BY THE WATERWORKS SYSTEM OF THE TOWN OF GREENVILLE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Greenville owns and operates a waterworks by and through its Board of Trustees. That the waterworks has experienced water supply problems and is purchasing water for its needs at a cost far in excess of its prior costs. That the waterworks is in the process of having a study and recommendations of ways to correct its problems. That until the study results and implementations are completed within the next 12-18 months, an interim rate increase to cover the present shortage of monthly income is necessary; and,

WHEREAS, the existing rates and charges for services furnished by the water utility of the Town of Greenville were initially established by Ordinance and are now inadequate to provide for the proper operations and maintenance of said waterworks, the setting aside of a proper fund for extensions and replacements, and the payment of the interest on and principal of the outstanding Water Revenue Bonds, dated December 1, 1963, and Revenue Bonds dated February 5, 1980; and,

WHEREAS, it will be necessary to increase the existing rates and charges in order to provide sufficient funds to meet the financial requirements of said water utility; and,

WHEREAS, this Ordinance supercedes Ordinance No. 92-02, as the rates therein are not consistent with rates to be approved by the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF GREENVILLE, INDIANA:

Section 1. That there shall be and there are hereby established for the use of and the service rendered by the water system of the Town of Greenville, the following interim rates and charges, based on the use of water supplied by said water system:

(a) Metered Rates Per Month.

For use of and service rendered by the water works system of the Town, based on the use of water supplied by said waterworks system:

<u>Consumption per month</u>	<u>Rate per 1,000 gallons</u>
First 10,000 gallons	\$ 3.89
Next 20,000 gallons	3.41
Next 30,000 gallons	2.92
Next 40,000 gallons	2.43
Next 100,000 gallons	1.95

(b) Minimum Charge Per Month.

Each user shall pay a minimum charge in accordance with the following applicable size of meter installed, for which the user will be entitled to the quantity of water set out in the above schedule of rates.

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Gallonage</u>	<u>Monthly Minimum Charge</u>
5/8 inch meter	2,500	\$ 9.73
3/4 inch meter	2,500	9.73
1 inch meter	10,000	38.90
1 1/2 inch meter	25,000	89.97
2 inch meter	40,000	136.18
3 inch meter	100,000	291.82

(c) Fire Service Per Annum.

Public hydrants, per hydrant	194.55
Private hydrants, per hydrant	194.55

Automatic sprinklers:

1 inch connection	\$ 5.43
1 1/4 inch connection	8.45
1 1/2 inch connection	12.14
2 inch connection	21.60
3 inch connection	48.63
4 inch connection	86.47
6 inch connection	194.55
8 inch connection	344.82

(d) Temporary Users.

Water furnished to temporary users such as contractors, circuses, etc., shall be charged on the basis of the metered gallon rates hereinbefore set forth as estimated and established by the Waterworks Superintendent.

(e) Connection Charge.

Each user, at the time he is connected with the waterworks system, shall pay a charge to cover the costs of tapping the main, furnishing and laying service pipe, corporation and stop cocks, service and meter box and installing the meter. The charge for 5/8 inch meter tap shall be \$350.00. The charge for a tap larger than the 5/8 inch meter tap will be the cost of installation including labor and materials, but not less than \$350.00.

APPENDIX A  
NON-RECURRING CHARGES

Description of Charges	Charge
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5/8" or Connection or Tap-on	350.00
1" Connection or Tap-on	350.00
Reconnection Charge	25.00
Special Meter Reading	-0-
Bad Check Charge	5.00
Late Payment Charge	10% of first \$3.00 3% in excess of \$3.00
Deposit	25.00

Section 2. No free service of said water system shall be permitted; and each residence, each commercial establishment, and each industry shall be individually metered.

Section 3. All ordinances or resolutions or parts of ordinances or resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. The invalidity of any section, clause, sentence, or provision of this ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other part of this ordinance which can be given effect without such invalid part or parts.

Section 4. The rates in Section 1 shall go into effect upon approval by the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission.

Section 5. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Greenville on the 16th day of March, 1993.

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